Mountain Weather Forecast

Southwest Highlands

Including Ben Nevis, Glen Coe and the rest of Lochaber, Argyll including the Isles, Loch Lomond, Trossachs and Arran
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 09 Sep 2021 until 23:59 on Friday 10 Sep 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 09 Sep 2021 at 03:57 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for occasionally unsettled during Thursday and Friday and to a lesser extent Saturday, then for the improvement Sunday, and largely fair from Monday. However lower for the detail of worst of conditions Thursday through Saturday.

Headline for Thursday 09 Sep 2021: Showers, some turning heavy bringing a risk of hail and thunder.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 09 Sep 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Medium Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Heavy rain showers	Cloudy	Thunderstorm	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
30%	30%	40%	40%	50%	30%

Forecast for Thursday 09 Sep 2021

Weather: Some brighter spells mixed with scattered showers, the showers turning heavy at times bringing the risk of hail and thunder, mainly across western ranges such as the Paps of Jura through to mid-morning then more generally across the rest of the area from early afternoon.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 75%.

Visibility: Good becoming moderate or poor in showers, very poor in hill fog, with bases scattered occasionally broken from 600m.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	15/19 E	14/19 E	15/19 NE	11/15 E	10/14 E	11/13 E	6/8 E
900	16/19 E	15/20 E	12/17 E	12/17 E	10/14 E	10/14 E	6/8 E
600	20/25 NE	16/21 NE	12/16 NE	11/15 NE	10/14 NE	7/9 NE	5/6 E
300	9/15 NE	9/15 NE	8/13 NE	7/12 NE	6/9 N	4/6 NE	3/5 N
Glen	12/23 NE	12/23 NE	8/16 NE	9/17 NE	6/13 NE	4/11 E	3/7 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
1300	15/12	13/11	12/10	12/10	11/9	10/8	10/9
900	14/11	14/11	14/12	14/12	13/11	12/10	12/10
600	16/12	16/13	15/13	16/14	15/14	14/14	14/14
300	16/15	16/14	16/15	17/16	16/16	16/16	15/16
Glen	17/15	18/16	18/18	19/18	18/18	17/17	16/17
Freezing Level*	3000m	3000m	3000m	3100m	3000m	3000m	3000m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Potentially hazardous conditions in thunderstorms.

Forecast for Friday 10 Sep 2021
Weather: Similar to Thursday with scattered showers, with some risk of hail and thunder, also brighter spells on an otherwise rather cloudy day.

Maximum wind: Variable 15mph or less.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 70%.

Visibility: Good becoming moderate or poor in showers, very poor in hill fog, with bases scattered occasionally broken from 600m.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 9 Celsius increasing 22 Celsius during the afternoon
At 800m: Plus 9-11 Celsius
Freezing level: Well above summits

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